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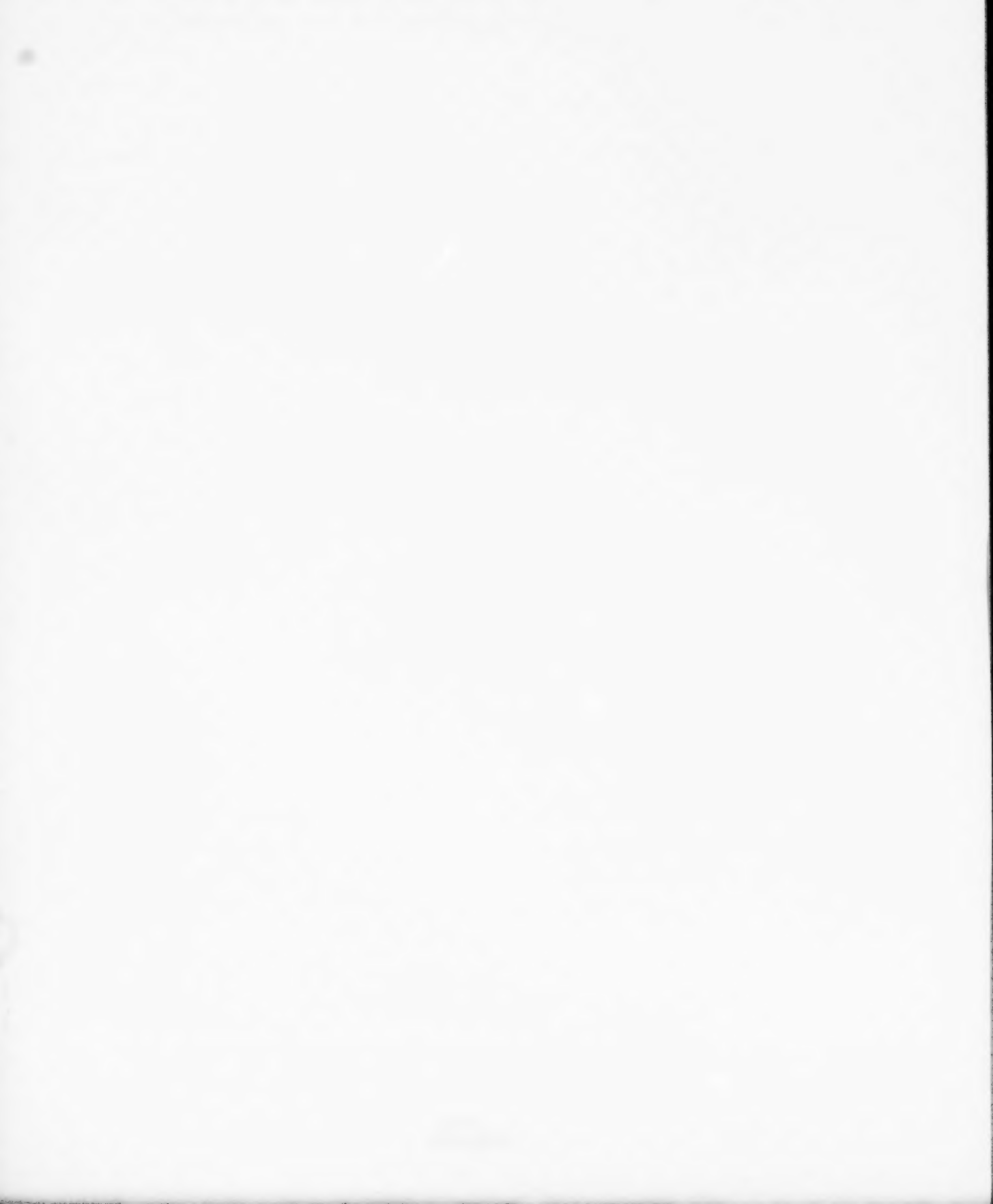
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SASKATCHEWAN POPULATION

	January 1	April 1	July 1	October 1
	(' 000)			
1981	970.8	972.7	975.9	979.7
1982	981.9	984.2	987.3	992.3
1983	994.5	997.9	1,001.9	1,005.9
1984	1,008.3	1,011.7	1,015.5	1,019.7
1985	1,021.0	1,022.9	1,025.5	1,027.7
1986	1,027.3	1,027.9	1,029.3	1,029.9
1987	1,030.0	1,031.6	1,032.8	1,032.0
1988	1,029.6	1,028.6	1,028.1	1,025.3
1989	1,021.4	1,020.2	1,019.3	1,015.6
1990	1,010.8	1,009.1	1,007.1	1,003.8
1991	1,002.3	1,002.8	1,002.7	1,001.0
1992	1,001.2	1,002.8	1,004.0	1,003.0
1993	1,003.5	1,005.1	1,006.9	1,007.1
1994	1,007.7	1,008.6	1,009.7	1,010.9
1995	1,011.9	1,012.8	1,014.2	1,015.4
1996	1,016.3	1,017.9	1,019.5	1,020.8
1997	1,020.6	1,020.9	1,022.0	1,022.4
1998	1,023.3	1,023.8	1,024.9	1,026.2
1999	1,026.2	1,025.8	1,025.6	1,024.5
2000	1,023.9	1,022.7	1,022.0	1,021.2
2001	1,019.5	1,018.3	1,017.1	1,015.6
2002	1,014.4	1,012.7	1,011.8	

VITAL STATISTICS

	2002p	2nd Quarter 2001	Change (%)	2002p	January - June 2001	Change (%)
Births	3,084	3,120	-1.2	6,162	6,235	-1.2
Deaths	2,246	2,194	2.4	4,794	4,689	2.2
Natural Increase	838	926	-9.5	1,368	1,546	-11.5
Marriages	1,444	1,454	-0.7	1,957	1,971	-0.7

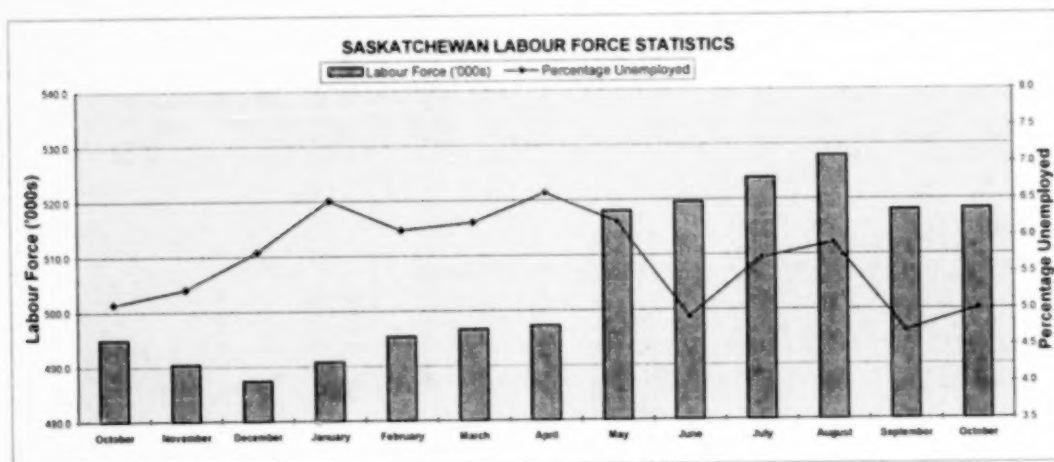
IMMIGRATION NEW CANADIANS

	2002	2001	Change (%)
First Quarter	452	394	14.7
Second Quarter	444	391	13.6
	2001	2000	Change (%)
First Quarter	394	391	0.8
Second Quarter	391	442	-11.5
Third Quarter	557	549	1.5
Fourth Quarter	361	508	-28.9
Annual Total	1,703	1,890	-9.9

LABOUR FORCE AND RELATED DATA

		Total	Labour Force Employed (' 000)	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate	Participation Rate (%)
Saskatchewan						
2000	October	509.6	486.1	23.5	4.6	66.7
	November	504.0	481.1	22.9	4.5	66.0
	December	498.5	474.1	24.5	4.9	65.3
	January	500.8	470.0	30.9	6.2	65.6
	February	494.3	463.9	30.4	6.2	64.8
2001	March	497.0	466.8	30.2	6.1	65.2
	April	498.2	465.4	32.8	6.6	65.3
	May	507.3	475.0	32.3	6.4	66.6
	June	508.6	481.5	27.1	5.3	66.8
	July	519.4	487.1	32.3	6.2	68.2
	August	520.4	490.5	29.9	5.7	68.4
	September	499.6	474.2	25.4	5.1	65.7
	October	494.9	469.9	25.0	5.1	65.1
	November	490.4	464.6	25.8	5.3	64.5
	December	487.4	459.2	28.2	5.8	64.1
	January	490.8	458.7	32.1	6.5	64.5
	February	495.3	464.9	30.4	6.1	65.1
2002	March	496.6	465.7	30.9	6.2	65.3
	April	497.2	464.3	32.9	6.6	65.4
	May	518.0	486.1	31.9	6.2	68.2
	June	519.6	494.3	25.3	4.9	68.4
	July	523.9	494.2	29.7	5.7	69.0
	August	527.9	496.8	31.1	5.9	69.6
	September	518.0	493.7	24.3	4.7	68.3
	October	518.2	492.2	26.0	5.0	68.3

Note: Revised figures based on the 1996 Census.



EMPLOYED PERSONS BY ACTUAL HOURS WORKED

	October 2002			October 2001		
	Total	Male	Female	Total	Male	Female
Saskatchewan						
Total (' 000)	492.2	265.5	226.8	469.9	258.4	211.5
1-14 hours	51.6	19.5	32.2	41.4	16.1	25.3
15-29 hours	95.1	31.9	63.2	93.5	29.1	64.5
30 plus hours	315.4	201.9	113.5	306.8	200.7	106.1
Not at work	30.2	12.2	18.0	28.2	12.6	15.6

LABOUR FORCE STATISTICS BY AGE AND SEX

	Total	Male	Female	15-24	25+	15-19	20-24	25-44	45+	65+
Saskatchewan										
Labour Force (' 000)										
October 2002	518.2	280.8	237.4	93.5	424.7	40.9	52.7	234.6	190.1	15.6
September 2002	518.0	282.3	235.7	93.5	424.5	41.5	52.0	234.4	190.1	16.9
October 2001	494.9	272.9	222.0	87.5	407.4	36.1	51.4	232.6	174.8	14.9
Employed (' 000)										
October 2002	492.2	265.5	226.8	82.7	409.5	34.5	48.2	225.3	184.2	15.5
September 2002	493.7	268.5	225.1	84.5	409.2	36.2	48.2	224.6	184.6	16.7
October 2001	469.9	258.4	211.5	79.2	390.7	31.2	48.0	221.4	169.3	14.9
Unemployed (' 000)										
October 2002	26.0	15.3	10.7	10.8	15.2	6.4	4.4	9.3	5.9	0.0
September 2002	24.3	13.8	10.5	9.0	15.3	5.3	3.7	9.8	5.5	1.0
October 2001	25.0	14.5	10.5	8.3	16.7	4.8	3.4	11.2	5.6	0.0
Unemployment Rate (%)										
October 2002	5.0	5.4	4.5	11.6	3.6	15.6	8.3	4.0	3.1	0.0
September 2002	4.7	4.9	4.5	9.6	3.6	12.8	7.1	4.2	2.9	1.0
October 2001	5.1	5.3	4.7	9.5	4.1	13.3	6.6	4.8	3.2	0.0
Participation Rate (%)										
October 2002	68.3	75.1	61.8	66.7	68.7	57.0	77.0	89.0	53.6	11.6
September 2002	68.3	75.5	61.3	66.6	68.7	57.8	75.8	88.8	53.7	12.5
October 2001	65.1	72.7	57.6	61.4	65.9	49.6	73.7	86.7	50.0	11.0

Figures set to 0 (zero) if under 500 persons

EMPLOYED LABOUR FORCE BY INDUSTRY

	2002	October 2001 (' 000)	2000
Saskatchewan			
Agriculture	54.8	49.8	57.5
Manufacturing	27.5	28.3	29.9
Construction	28.3	27.7	24.0
Transportation, Communication and Other Utilities	30.2	28.8	32.3
Trade	77.5	72.8	74.1
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	26.6	26.2	26.9
Service	205.4	190.6	195.9
Public Administration	26.2	27.9	29.0
Other Primary Industries	15.7	17.9	16.6
Total All Industries	492.2	469.9	486.1

Note: Pertains to the week ending July 20, 2002

EMPLOYMENT INSURANCE STATISTICS

Saskatchewan August 2002p	Regular	Sickness	Maternity	Parental	Training	Other	Aug/02p	Jul/02p	Aug/01r
Total									
Beneficiaries	12,260	1,050	1,590	3,410	160	180	18,650	18,530	16,370
Male	5,460	390	-	200	80	120	6,250	6,340	5,590
Female	6,800	660	1,590	3,210	70	70	12,400	12,190	10,770
Benefits paid during month (\$ ' 000)									
	13,713	1,089	1,822	3,964	-	143	20,731	21,906	18,148
Number of weeks paid during month									
	51,590	4,410	6,660	14,010	-	510	77,180	79,160	68,320
Average weekly payments during month * (\$)									
	265.81	247.04	273.80	282.96	-	-	268.70	276.79	265.65

* May exceed maximum weekly benefit due to the inclusion of retroactive payments.

SASKATCHEWAN EMPLOYMENT EARNINGS AND HOURS

	All Employees				Salaried Employees			
	Number of Employees (' 000)		Avg. Weekly Earnings* (\$)		Avg. Standard Work Week** (hours)		Avg. Hourly Earnings* (\$)	
	Aug 2002p	Jul 2002r	Aug 2002p	Jul 2002r	Aug 2002p	Jul 2002r	Aug 2002p	Jul 2002r
Goods producing industries	65.3	64.6	838.17	834.79	38.8	39.0	27.12	26.97
Forestry	1.4	1.4	731.13	730.26	39.1	39.1	21.56	21.54
Mining and oil and gas extraction	10.2	10.2	1100.45	1099.13	40.0	40.0	31.45	31.46
Construction	20.1	19.6	739.29	728.41	36.7	37.7	21.65	21.18
Engineering construction	4.7	4.7	845.88	819.16	37.9	37.8	24.06	24.39
Manufacturing	29.0	28.9	782.88	780.91	38.8	38.6	26.59	26.54
Non-durable goods	14.2	14.0	742.52	739.85	38.4	38.3	26.80	26.66
Food	7.4	7.4	658.56	658.27	37.5	37.5	24.77	24.83
Printing & related support activities	1.2	1.2	717.73	711.84	38.5	38.3	21.52	21.51
Durable goods	14.9	14.8	821.28	819.77	39.2	38.8	26.39	26.43
Machinery	4.7	4.7	867.44	865.93	38.4	38.4	27.69	27.66
Agriculture, construction and mining machinery	3.0	3.0	864.85	866.17	38.4	38.4	27.84	27.81
Service producing industries	307.4	306.7	559.27	558.17	37.9	37.9	20.54	20.34
Trade	68.6	68.1	486.67	485.56	38.8	38.9	20.34	20.05
Wholesale trade	17.9	17.7	709.68	703.91	38.8	39.0	22.20	21.61
Retail trade	50.7	50.3	407.76	408.64	38.7	38.7	18.48	18.50
Automobile dealers	4.4	4.5	822.87	823.58	38.5	38.3	23.92	24.02
Gasoline service stations	4.7	4.6	278.92	278.10	34.5	34.4	14.47	14.46
Transportation & warehousing	20.3	20.2	753.30	752.97	40.9	41.4	20.61	20.36
Finance and insurance	18.3	18.3	752.75	761.62	36.8	36.2	23.13	22.94
Real estate, rental & leasing	7.7	7.5	613.05	610.57	37.9	38.5	19.94	19.39
Administrative, support, waste management & remediation service	9.9	10.1	401.64	396.63	37.6	37.4	15.76	15.69
Educational services	20.8	21.0	741.00	734.86	40.2	40.4	19.94	19.70
Elementary & secondary schools	10.4	10.5	798.51	798.57	44.4	44.6	24.10	24.01
Health care & social assistance	50.3	49.8	550.74	548.09	35.1	35.0	18.41	18.39
General medical & surgical hospitals	13.9	13.7	625.47	622.88	34.5	35.0	22.65	22.39
Nursing & residential care facilities	14.6	14.5	493.89	489.83	30.1	29.9	19.49	19.53
Accommodation & food services	34.0	33.8	259.40	260.33	41.2	41.2	12.81	12.81
Food services & drinking places	25.5	25.3	251.02	252.02	43.3	43.3	12.30	12.30
Public Administration	28.6	28.7	708.26	704.38	36.0	36.1	22.18	22.02
Industrial Aggregate	372.7	371.3	608.15	606.28	38.0	38.0	21.41	21.23

* including overtime

** excluding overtime

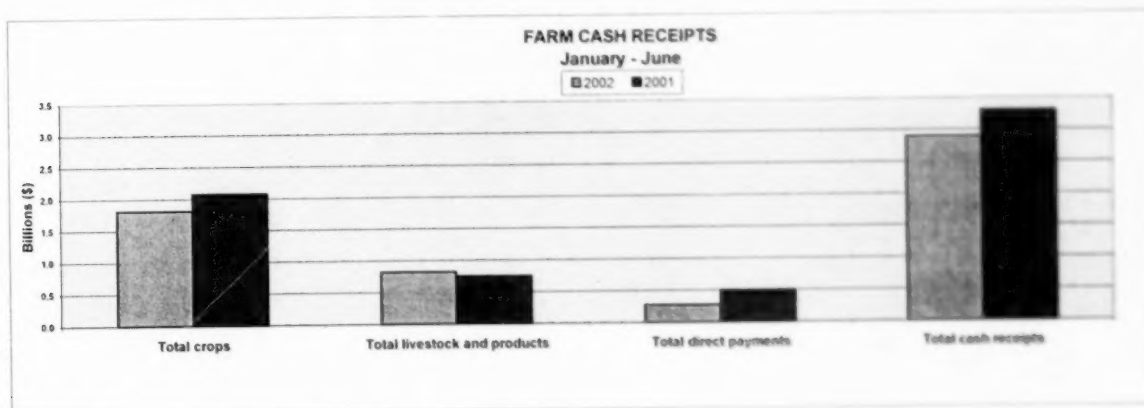
Industrial Aggregate = sum of all industries - with the exception of agriculture, fishing and trapping, private household services, religious organizations and military services.

Note: Data based on the 1997 NAICS.

SASKATCHEWAN FARM CASH RECEIPTS FROM FARMING OPERATIONS

	2002	January - June 2001	Change (%)
	(\$ '000)		
Wheat, excluding durum	345,536	381,752	-9.5
Wheat, excluding durum - CWB payments/1	68,176	138,673	-50.1
Durum	202,176	200,700	0.7
Durum - CWB payments/1	47,736	87,162	-45.2
Oats	43,390	37,152	16.8
Oats, CWB payments/1	-	-	-
Barley	107,240	156,865	-31.6
Barley, CWB payments/1	13,620	36,741	-62.9
Deferred grain receipts	-73,605	-85,563	-14.0
Liquidation of deferred grain receipts	421,292	304,542	38.3
Rye	1,173	1,538	-23.7
Flaxseed	54,417	35,762	52.2
Canola - Rapeseed	276,493	438,562	-37.0
Potatoes	26,185	21,966	19.2
Floriculture and nursery	13,973	12,852	8.7
Forest products	2,359	2,280	3.5
Other crops	260,616	304,892	-14.5
Total crops	1,810,777	2,073,877	-12.7
Cattle	481,199	397,952	20.9
Calves	72,148	85,004	-15.1
Hogs	119,307	130,180	-8.4
Sheep and lambs	4298	4,802	-10.5
Dairy Products	59,068	56,188	5.1
Poultry	27,051	24,888	8.7
Eggs	11,858	10,624	11.6
Other livestock	41,988	37,884	10.8
Total livestock and products	816,917	747,522	9.3
NISA Payments	90,755	89,375	1.5
Crop and hail insurance payments/2	117,267	78,703	49.0
Income Disaster Assistance	55,876	167,986	-66.7
Dairy Subsidy	174	551	-68.4
Other payments	1,156	138,992	-99.2
Total direct payments	265,228	475,607	-44.2
Total cash receipts	2,892,922	3,297,006	-12.3

1. Represents payments made by the Canadian Wheat Board direct to producers.
2. Crop insurance payments include payments under the Crop Insurance Act as well as private hail insurance plans.



SASKATCHEWAN LIVESTOCK MARKETINGS

	2002	August 2001	Change (%)	2002	January - August 2001	Change (%)
Feeder Cattle Exports						
Steers	37,630	32,290	16.5	256,610	216,840	18.3
Heifers	28,810	28,600	0.7	211,380	170,660	23.9
Cows	260	400	-35.0	3,580	3,810	-6.0
Bulls	160	190	-15.8	1,210	1,370	-11.7
Total Feeder Cattle Exports	66,860	61,480	8.8	472,780	392,680	20.4
Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	6,780	10,070	-32.7	63,650	64,050	-0.6
Heifers	5,980	6,280	-4.8	71,740	73,560	-2.5
Cows	850	700	21.4	10,090	6,590	53.1
Bulls	420	220	90.9	2,170	1,610	34.8
Total Feeder Cattle to Saskatchewan	14,030	17,270	-18.8	147,650	145,810	1.3
Total Feeder Cattle Marketed	80,890	78,750	2.7	620,430	538,490	15.2
Slaughter Cattle Exports						
Steers	6,890	5,220	32.0	37,390	42,210	-11.4
Heifers	5,220	2,100	---	17,770	16,250	9.4
Cows	6,570	5,870	11.9	50,500	35,470	42.4
Bulls	2,540	2,320	9.5	14,660	13,630	7.6
Calves	60	70	-14.3	370	400	-7.5
Total Slaughter Cattle Exports	21,280	15,580	36.6	120,690	107,960	11.8
Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan						
Steers	4,160	4,900	-15.1	35,320	38,440	-8.1
Heifers	2,030	2,680	-24.3	16,570	14,560	13.8
Cows	7,030	4,610	52.5	57,030	51,730	10.2
Bulls	790	340	---	4,140	2,790	48.4
Calves	10	10	-	20	50	-60.0
Total Slaughter Cattle to Saskatchewan	14,020	12,540	11.8	113,080	107,570	5.1
Total Slaughter Cattle Marketed	35,300	28,120	25.5	233,770	215,530	8.5
Total Cattle Marketed	116,190	106,870	8.7	854,200	754,020	13.3
Sheep and lambs	1,049	796	31.8	8,378	4,880	71.7
Hogs Saskatchewan Origin of Slaughter	104,768	89,472	17.1	915,587	748,646	22.3

SASKATCHEWAN AVERAGE PRICE OF SLAUGHTER AND FEEDER CATTLE

	2002 \$/ 100 lbs	August 2001	Change (%)
Slaughter Cattle			
A Steers, Liveweight	91.73	97.58	-6.0
A Heifers, Liveweight	91.41	97.95	-6.7
Cows D1, 2	55.65	66.90	-16.8
Feeder Cattle			
Steers 700-800 lbs	115.19	149.53	-23.0
Steers 600-700 lbs	120.89	158.00	-23.5
Steers 500-600 lbs	126.85	168.82	-24.9

SASKATCHEWAN FARMERS' MARKETING OF GRAIN AT PRIMARY ELEVATORS

	Wheat	Durum Wheat	Oats	Barley	Peas	Flax seed	Canola	Total
	(' 000) of tonnes							
Period September 30, 2002 to Oct 27, 2002	319.7	204.1	70.9	133.2	14.4	64.4	152.4	959.1
Same period last year	728.6	127.8	112.1	188.3	..	62.3	146.1	1,365.2
Crop year to date	790.9	512.4	106.1	380.5	69.8	107.4	469.0	2,436.1
Same period last year	1,892.9	386.4	299.6	550.0	..	115.8	479.7	3,724.4

EGG PRODUCTION AND DISPOSITION

	2002	September 2001	Change (%)	2002	January - September 2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Production						
Average number of layers ('000)	1,072	1,060	1.1	9,525	9,096	4.7
Eggs per 100 layers	2,135	2,119	0.8			
Egg production ('000 dozen)	1,908	1,872	1.9	17,187	16,560	3.8
Disposition						
Sold for consumption						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	1,720	1,637	5.1	15,321	14,686	4.3
Value (\$'000)	1,975	1,722	14.7	17,474	15,688	11.4
Farm price (cent per dozen)	114.8	105.2	9.1	114.1	106.8	6.8
Used by producers						
Quantity ('000 dozen)	37	37	-	333	222	50.0
Value (\$'000)	48	48	-	485	421	15.2

BANKRUPTCY BY INDUSTRY

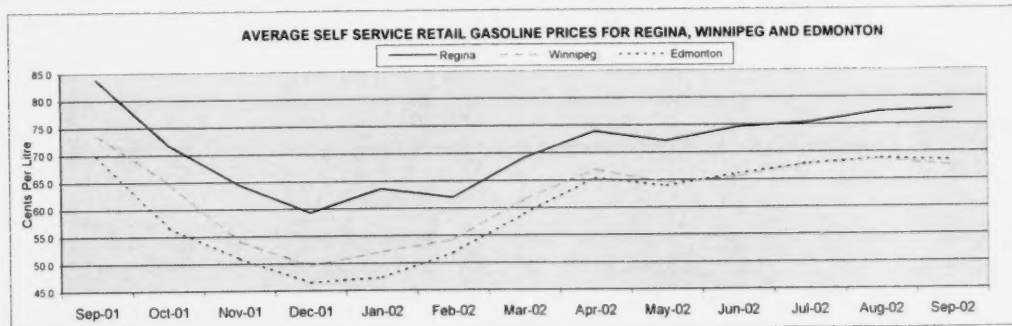
	2002	August 2001	Change (%)	2002	January - August 2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Agriculture and related service	4	4	-	40	56	-28.6
Logging and forestry	-	-	---	2	1	---
Mining, quarrying and oil wells	-	-	---	4	-	---
Manufacturing	1	2	-50.0	16	16	-
Construction	2	3	-33.3	33	51	-35.3
Transportation and storage	3	3	-	25	44	-43.2
Communication & other utilities	-	-	---	6	3	---
Wholesale trade	-	-	---	4	4	-
Retail trade	4	-	---	40	54	-25.9
Finance and insurance	-	-	---	-	-	---
Real estate operators and insurance agents	-	1	---	-	2	---
Business service	2	-	---	8	4	---
Health and social service	-	-	---	2	10	-80.0
Accommodation food and beverage	2	2	-	31	35	-11.4
Other service	4	1	---	29	28	3.6
Total Industries	22	16	37.5	240	308	-22.1
Bankruptcy by consumer	165	166	-0.6	1,396	1,341	4.1
Canada						
Bankruptcy by industry	733	762	-3.8	6,589	7,003	-5.9
Bankruptcy by consumer	6,358	6,707	-5.2	52,246	52,763	-1.0

RETAIL SALES BY TRADE GROUP

	2002p	August 2001r	Change (%)	2002p	January - August 2001r	Change (%)
	\$ Millions			\$ Millions		
Saskatchewan						
Supermarkets and grocery stores	199.9	179.0	11.7	1,412.8	1,331.1	6.1
All other food stores	4.9	6.3	-21.6	45.3	38.7	17.1
Drugs and patent medicine stores	36.9	33.2	11.2	269.3	251.5	7.1
Shoe stores	2.3	2.1	6.2	17.2	16.2	6.5
Men's clothing stores	2.1	2.0	4.6	17.5	17.9	-2.3
Women's clothing stores	9.9	7.8	26.3	70.5	60.2	17.1
Other clothing stores	17.9	16.3	9.8	108.7	105.4	3.1
Household furniture & appliances	25.3	23.0	9.8	180.7	164.2	10.1
Household furnishings stores	6.2	5.7	9.9	42.8	44.0	-2.7
Recreational & motor vehicle dealers	204.8	184.0	11.3	1,632.6	1,421.8	14.8
Gasoline service stations	74.3	68.1	9.1	498.1	487.3	2.2
Auto. parts, accessories & services	48.5	46.2	5.1	351.6	331.6	6.0
General merchandise stores	100.1	91.6	9.2	715.5	680.0	5.2
Other semi-durable goods stores	16.8	16.3	3.1	128.7	123.9	3.9
Other durable goods stores	19.1	17.3	10.8	118.1	118.4	-0.3
Other retail stores	30.4	29.2	4.2	206.1	203.4	1.3
Total all stores	799.6	728.3	9.8	5,815.4	5,395.6	7.8
Canada						
Total retail trade	26,987.5	25,408.0	6.2	198,913.4	187,423.0	6.1

AVERAGE RETAIL PRICE OF REGULAR UNLEADED GASOLINE

	Full Service Stations			Self-Serve Stations		
	September 2002	August 2002	September 2001	September 2002	August 2002	September 2001
	cents per litre					
St. John's	83.6	82.3	82.4	80.6	79.3	79.7
Charlottetown - Summerside	74.2	72.6	70.7	72.5	70.8	69.4
Sydney	80.9	81.9	77.8	78.2	79.2	75.8
Halifax	80.2	80.3	77.2	77.9	77.9	74.6
Moncton	80.0	80.0	75.4	76.9	76.9	73.7
Chicoutimi	74.8	75.8	74.5	74.4	75.4	73.9
Quebec City	76.9	75.9	75.6	76.3	75.4	75.1
Trois Rivières	76.9	74.7	75.2	75.8	74.8	74.9
Montreal	76.1	76.7	76.7	73.8	75.3	75.4
Ottawa	72.1	70.7	72.2	70.0	68.7	69.5
Toronto	71.5	71.5	71.4	70.7	70.3	71.2
London	71.2	73.5	71.5	70.7	71.0	69.8
Windsor	73.3	75.4	72.2	70.6	70.4	72.0
Sudbury	74.3	73.1	70.3	72.6	71.3	69.0
Thunder Bay	76.4	77.8	83.0	74.2	74.7	82.3
Winnipeg	68.3	69.4	75.4	67.5	68.7	73.8
Regina	78.2	78.1	82.6	77.7	77.3	83.9
Saskatoon	79.2	78.4	83.4	78.9	77.7	82.4
Edmonton	70.3	70.8	71.8	68.4	68.8	69.8
Calgary	72.0	72.0	77.3	70.2	71.2	76.3
Prince George	76.4	76.4	80.2	75.9	75.9	80.0
Vancouver	78.6	76.0	78.2	75.3	74.0	73.8
Victoria	78.9	79.0	83.0	77.7	77.9	81.9



NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES

	NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES					
	2002	August	Change (%)	January - August		
		2001		2002	2001	Change (%)
	Number					
Passenger Cars:						
Manufactured in North America	1,294	1,120	15.5	9,112	8,370	8.9
Manufactured in Japan	146	140	4.3	1,129	880	28.3
Manufactured in other countries	167	192	-13.0	1,107	1,073	3.2
Commercial Vehicles:						
Manufactured in North America	1,788	1,662	7.6	15,048	13,661	10.2
Manufactured Overseas	138	104	32.7	1,098	759	44.7
Total	3,533	3,218	9.8	27,494	24,743	11.1

HOUSING STATISTICS

	2002	3rd Quarter 2001	Change (%)	January - September		
				2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan						
Dwelling starts	989	752	31.5	2,134	1,630	30.9
Dwelling completions	804	593	35.6	1,861	1,657	12.3
Dwellings under construction, end of period	1,474	1,080	36.5			
Dwelling Starts						
Saskatchewan/1	811	524	54.8	1,721	1,203	43.1
Estevan	5	2	---	8	2	---
Lloydminster/2	13	1	---	24	7	---
Moose Jaw	7	10	-30.0	17	24	-29.2
North Battleford	1	8	-87.5	6	16	-62.5
Prince Albert	37	40	-7.5	67	81	-17.3
Swift Current	5	4	25.0	10	12	-16.7
Yorkton	15	9	66.7	34	33	3.0
Dwelling Completions						
Saskatchewan/1	639	399	60.2	1,428	1,263	13.1
Estevan	3	0	---	7	3	---
Lloydminster/2	8	1	---	16	8	---
Moose Jaw	7	12	-41.7	15	32	-53.1
North Battleford	4	1	---	10	23	-56.5
Prince Albert	28	23	21.7	58	80	-27.5
Swift Current	7	7	-	14	19	-26.3
Yorkton	21	4	---	88	43	---
Dwellings under Construction						
Saskatchewan/1	1,160	2,228	-47.9			
Estevan	4	4	-			
Lloydminster/2	13	18	-27.8			
Moose Jaw	8	42	-81.0			
North Battleford	2	37	-94.6			
Prince Albert	40	180	-77.8			
Swift Current	4	41	-90.2			
Yorkton	19	85	-77.6			
	2002	September 2001	Change (%)	January - September		
				2002	2001	Change (%)
Dwelling Starts						
Regina Metro	89	24	---	479	339	41.3
Saskatoon Metro	252	121	---	1,076	689	56.2
Dwelling Completions						
Regina Metro	130	26	---	469	377	24.4
Saskatoon Metro	117	72	62.5	751	678	10.8
Dwellings under Construction						
Regina Metro	341	192	77.6			
Saskatoon Metro	729	445	63.8			

1 Centres of 10,000 population and over.

2 Saskatchewan part only.

VALUE OF BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED FOR CONSTRUCTION

	Residential	Industrial	Commercial (\$ ' 000)	Institutional & Government	Total
September, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	26,309	3,715	20,887	4,480	55,391
Estevan	42	14	25	-	81
Weyburn	258	-	81	-	339
Regina	4,578	1,072	10,556	216	16,422
Moose Jaw	1,274	100	601	20	1,995
Swift Current	285	-	6	-	291
Saskatoon	8,564	613	5,222	735	15,134
Humboldt	199	-	50	-	249
Melville	4	-	-	-	4
Yorkton	231	-	263	-	494
Melfort	24	-	230	-	254
North Battleford	44	1	475	410	930
Prince Albert	1,529	-	501	789	2,819
Lloydminster *	1,756	-	59	-	1,815
September, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	26,168	4,434	17,653	14,281	62,536
Estevan	-	-	100	-	100
Weyburn	420	-	830	1,879	3,129
Regina	5,920	-	2,783	6,240	14,943
Moose Jaw	323	-	472	-	795
Swift Current	330	-	421	74	825
Saskatoon	5,240	120	7,757	2,185	15,302
Humboldt	10	-	200	-	210
Melville	448	-	-	-	448
Yorkton	4,108	-	-	30	4,138
Melfort	23	-	-	3,260	3,283
North Battleford	254	-	427	-	681
Prince Albert	668	64	136	-	868
Lloydminster *	1,938	1,590	174	-	3,702
January - September, 2002					
Saskatchewan **	217,213	26,264	159,397	124,131	527,005
Estevan	1,415	133	2,847	10,388	14,783
Weyburn	3,225	-	719	4	3,948
Regina	43,652	2,471	48,658	4,786	99,567
Moose Jaw	3,897	406	7,426	312	12,041
Swift Current	1,943	14	194	274	2,425
Saskatoon	78,342	3,534	58,357	60,972	201,205
Humboldt	2,060	21	750	-	2,831
Melville	373	-	25	2	400
Yorkton	4,845	204	963	9,539	15,551
Melfort	642	-	3,326	14,449	18,417
North Battleford	622	255	7,911	1,739	10,527
Prince Albert	6,975	3,689	8,878	6,751	26,293
Lloydminster *	23,882	1,257	2,814	250	28,203
January - September, 2001					
Saskatchewan **	177,576	60,607	164,794	130,638	533,615
Estevan	632	831	3,943	179	5,585
Weyburn	2,421	247	1,454	2,550	6,672
Regina	35,944	3,815	46,565	56,339	142,663
Moose Jaw	4,210	450	5,484	1,424	21,568
Swift Current	1,568	216	1,273	575	3,632
Saskatoon	54,088	33,140	49,383	27,481	164,092
Humboldt	2,450	97	745	-	3,292
Melville	610	70	306	11,128	12,114
Yorkton	8,062	374	1,381	773	10,590
Melfort	738	14	1,306	4,084	6,142
North Battleford	1,630	1,393	3,059	1,188	7,270
Prince Albert	6,426	64	23,807	1,077	31,374
Lloydminster *	20,254	3,212	7,474	3,000	33,940

* includes both Alberta and Saskatchewan parts

** does not include Lloydminster

VALUE OF SHIPMENTS OF GOODS MANUFACTURED

	2002p	August 2001r	Change	2002p	January - August 2001r	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Industry Group:						
Food	160,930	145,853	10.3	1,174,448	1,168,064	0.5
Beverage	11,685	10,349	12.9	75,025	67,816	10.6
Wood	36,180	30,136	20.1	263,086	193,297	36.1
Printing & Related Support Activities	9,516	9,788	-2.8	66,244	70,863	-6.5
Metal fabrication (except machine & transportation equipment industry)						
Machines	38,616	43,869	-12.0	278,962	284,393	-1.9
Electrical Equipment	49,184	56,627	-13.1	459,252	424,542	8.2
Computer and Electronic	14,450	21,255	-32.0	155,628	304,360	-48.9
Non-metallic mineral products	9,039	6,808	32.8	62,248	53,672	16.0
Chemical & chemical products	13,115	15,259	-14.1	76,279	79,412	-3.9
N.E.S.	20,286	29,935	-32.2	438,601	493,442	-11.1
Total Value/1	250,451	226,315	10.7	1,815,900	1,781,779	1.9
	613,452	596,194	2.9	4,865,673	4,921,640	-1.1

1 Total includes the value of shipments for the industries for which individual data must be suppressed to comply with the Statistics Act.

EXPORTS ORIGINATING IN SASKATCHEWAN

	2002	August 2001	Change	2002	January - August 2001	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	297,100	259,500	14.5	2,552,900	2,702,100	-5.5
Energy Products	298,400	263,400	13.3	1,735,300	1,924,700	-9.8
Forestry Products	55,800	37,600	48.4	386,300	368,200	4.9
Industrial Goods	267,200	255,000	4.8	2,268,200	2,334,900	-2.9
Machinery and Equipment	35,100	37,400	-6.1	314,700	322,800	-2.5
Automotive Products	7,300	8,500	-14.1	65,000	55,800	16.5
Consumer Goods	3,100	3,100	0.0	23,900	27,700	-13.7
Special Transactions	8,900	9,000	-1.1	75,900	82,900	-8.4
Total Exports	972,900	873,500	11.4	7,422,200	7,819,100	-5.1

IMPORTS CLEARED IN SASKATCHEWAN

	2002	August 2001	Change	2002	January - August 2001	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Agriculture and Fishing Products	22,200	19,600	13.3	182,600	160,000	14.1
Energy Products	5,000	5,500	-9.1	46,600	37,400	24.6
Forestry Products	2,600	3,400	-23.5	21,600	21,100	2.4
Industrial Goods	84,400	119,000	-29.1	861,000	1,086,400	-20.7
Machinery and Equipment	128,100	222,900	-42.5	1,179,800	1,370,300	-13.9
Automotive Products	42,000	52,300	-19.7	355,400	507,900	-30.0
Consumer Goods	20,000	21,700	-7.8	155,600	162,300	-4.1
Special Transactions	3,700	4,400	-15.9	27,500	28,100	-2.1
Total Imports	308,000	448,800	-31.4	2,830,100	3,373,500	-16.1

RESTAURANT, CATERER, AND TAVERN RECEIPTS

	2002p	August 2001r	Change	2002p	January - August 2001r	Change
	(\$ ' 000)		(%)	(\$ ' 000)		(%)
Saskatchewan						
Full Service Restaurants	43,543	43,778	-0.5	327,394	341,593	-4.2
Limited Service Restaurants	29,347	27,977	4.9	202,077	206,631	-2.2
Caterers	11,644	7,859	48.2	78,506	52,671	49.1
Taverns	1,613	1,777	-9.2	14,585	17,962	-18.8
Total	86,147	81,391	5.8	622,562	618,856	0.6

MINERAL PRODUCTION

	Units of Measure	July			January - July		
		2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
Saskatchewan							
Crude Oil	' 000 m3	2,027	2,080	-2.5	14,067	14,200	-0.9
Natural Gas	' 000, 000 m3	694	686	1.1	4,830	4,769	1.3
		August			January - August		
		2002p	2001	Change (%)	2002p	2001	Change (%)
Salt	' 000 Tonnes	66	54	23.2	505	456	10.6
Sodium Sulphate	' 000 Tonnes	8	8	-5.8	140	105	32.9
Potash K2O	' 000 Tonnes	527	614	-14.2	5,494	5,304	3.6
Other*	' 000,000 Kgs	970	1,082	-10.3	6,872	7,785	-11.7

* Includes Potassium Sulphate, Ammonium Sulphate, Bentonite, Coal and Uranium
Gold and Base metal will be included quarterly

TOTAL SALES OF SELECTED PETROLEUM PRODUCTS

	September			January - September		
	2002	2001	Change (%)	2002	2001	Change (%)
	Cubic Metres			Cubic Metres		
Saskatchewan						
Propane & propane mixes	4,896	4,836	1.2	43,516	43,745	-0.5
Butane & butane mixes	6,133	5,413	13.3	62,091	58,255	6.6
Aviation gasoline	353	345	2.3	6,361	5,362	18.6
Motor gasoline	140,426	123,790	13.4	1,269,883	1,263,943	0.5
Premium	3,291	2,661	23.7	33,768	29,674	13.8
Mid grade	655	706	-7.2	6,466	7,116	-9.1
Regular no-lead	136,480	120,423	13.3	1,229,759	1,227,153	0.2
Aviation turbo fuel	5,237	4,342	20.6	52,519	55,924	-6.1
Kerosene stove oil	262	788	-66.8	8,256	6,607	25.0
Diesel fuel	161,234	123,004	31.1	1,101,978	1,074,557	2.6
Light fuel	381	228	67.1	7,617	9,983	-23.7
Heavy fuel	11,890	9,781	21.6	105,641	54,071	95.4
Asphalt	21,230	14,759	43.8	93,513	101,986	-8.3
Lube oils & grease	3,675	4,227	-13.1	44,200	44,050	0.3
Total net sales, all products	362,824	293,239	23.7	2,838,122	2,731,387	3.9

ELECTRIC ENERGY STATISTICS

	3rd Quarter			January - September		
	2001	2000	Change (%)	2001	2000	Change (%)
	GWh			GWh		
Saskatchewan						
Supply						
Production	4,329	4,245	2.0	12,845	12,984	-1.1
Inter-regional transfers	116	172	-32.7	938	708	32.6
Total Supply	4,445	4,418	0.6	13,783	13,692	0.7
Disposition						
Manufacturing	882	825	6.9	2,654	2,504	6.0
Mining	910	820	11.1	2,955	2,762	7.0
Pipelines	315	299	5.4	1,022	944	8.3
Public Administration	85	91	-6.2	247	267	-7.5
Commercial/Institutional	923	908	1.6	2,685	2,872	-6.5
Residential	610	604	0.9	2,055	1,994	3.1
Agriculture	348	326	6.7	1,022	976	4.8
Producer Consumption	372	545	-31.8	1,143	1,373	-16.7
Total Disposition	4,445	4,418	0.6	13,783	13,692	0.7

CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
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	All-items	Food	Shelter	Household Operations & Furnishings	Clothing & Footwear	Trans- portation	Health & Personal Care	Recreation Education & Reading	Tobacco & Alcohol
Saskatchewan									
August, 2001	121.2	117.2	128.9	111.8	109.1	130.6	112.1	123.0	112.9
September	122.1	115.5	129.0	111.6	111.1	134.8	112.2	124.7	113.3
October	121.2	115.4	129.4	111.5	111.4	130.2	112.5	124.2	113.0
November	120.4	116.3	127.5	111.0	110.2	127.9	112.6	123.6	114.5
December	120.3	118.3	127.4	112.2	107.8	125.8	112.3	123.2	114.8
January, 2002	120.9	119.4	128.7	112.5	106.9	126.8	111.6	123.7	115.2
February	120.8	118.5	128.7	112.6	108.1	125.9	112.8	124.3	115.1
March	121.8	117.8	128.8	113.2	111.1	129.0	112.0	125.3	118.2
April	123.5	118.1	129.4	112.8	110.9	132.6	112.7	125.3	137.4
May	123.7	118.8	129.6	112.4	110.4	132.3	113.0	126.6	138.8
June	123.9	118.6	129.6	112.8	107.3	132.7	113.0	127.6	142.7
July	124.2	118.6	129.5	112.9	108.2	133.3	112.8	127.8	145.5
August	124.4	117.9	129.9	112.7	108.9	134.5	113.4	127.9	145.8
September	125.0	117.7	130.2	112.9	112.4	134.7	113.1	129.5	145.9
% change September, 2002 over August, 2002	0.5	-0.2	0.2	0.2	3.2	0.1	-0.3	1.3	0.1
% change September, 2002 over September, 2001	2.4	1.9	0.9	1.2	1.2	-0.1	0.8	3.6	28.8
Canada									
August, 2001	117.1	117.7	113.7	112.5	106.6	130.9	114.2	126.2	106.4
September	117.4	116.9	113.4	113.2	107.9	133.0	114.2	126.0	106.5
October	116.8	116.8	113.6	113.0	107.2	130.3	115.0	124.5	106.8
November	115.8	117.3	112.0	112.7	105.2	126.9	114.7	123.2	111.7
December	115.9	118.6	112.6	113.0	103.7	126.0	114.5	122.9	111.9
January, 2002	116.2	120.0	112.7	112.9	102.3	126.9	114.3	122.3	112.2
February	116.9	120.6	113.1	113.1	105.4	127.5	114.8	124.1	112.9
March	117.7	120.4	113.1	113.7	107.1	130.5	114.5	124.9	114.1
April	118.4	120.9	112.8	113.9	106.6	133.8	115.3	124.7	116.8
May	118.6	120.4	113.1	113.8	104.6	134.1	115.7	126.8	118.8
June	119.0	120.9	113.1	114.0	104.2	134.0	115.9	127.2	124.1
July	119.6	120.9	113.2	114.2	105.0	135.4	115.4	128.4	129.5
August	120.1	120.2	114.2	114.3	105.0	137.0	115.6	128.5	129.8
September	120.1	119.2	114.6	113.8	107.3	136.8	115.7	128.7	129.9
% change September, 2002 over August, 2002	0.0	-0.8	0.4	-0.4	2.2	-0.1	0.1	0.2	0.1
% change September, 2002 over September, 2001	2.3	2.0	1.1	0.5	-0.6	2.9	1.3	2.1	22.0
Regina									
August, 2002	125.3		132.7						
September	125.9		133.1						
% change September, 2002 over August, 2002	0.5		0.3						
% change September, 2002 over September, 2001	2.3		0.8						
Saskatoon									
August, 2002	123.9		126.3						
September	124.4		126.2						
% change September, 2002 over August, 2002	0.4		-0.1						
% change September, 2002 over September, 2001	2.5		1.4						

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